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"The King's Bride," which was presented by the Bandmann Opera Company last night, cannot be considered as one of their most successful productions, and the audience was not quite so large as usual, but no doubt the unfavourable weather had something to do with this. Still some of those present did not appear particularly impressed with what they saw.

which went with a rare swing and precision. and these facts, combined with the brilliant setting-especially in the second act in the King's Palace-made up for what little deficiencies there might have been. Mr William Farmer, as I rince Rodolph, was in fine voice, his singing being much admired. Mr Bobby Roberts was very provided many laughable situations, not Fan in each Cabin. the least of which was his singing of the song "Poppers." Mr E. Granby, as the weak-minded monarch, also did extremely -well. Most of the work devolved upon the male," members, of the "company mention should be made of Miss biarjorie Temport, Miss Violet Frampton and Miss Stella Godson who made the most of their parts. A pretty dence to the popular air of "In the Shadows" was effectively executed by three charming young ladies.

Attention is directed to changes made in the performances. Owing to numerous requests "The Monsme" will be staged to-morrow instead of "The Arcadians" which will be performed next Wednesday "The Count of Luxembourg" on Thursday; and Filday, being the farewell performance. The Merry Widow" will be staged, when Miss Georgie Corlass will make her reappearance after four years.
Miss Corlass is taking the place of Miss Florence Beech who fell seriously ill at

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smaller library had existed over the south-

ern walk of the cloisters. Eventually, in

1662, the library was transfe red to its pre-

Of the s, ace occupied by the old library.

the larger portion at the scuthern and is

how the chapter room, and the smaller

-So for as was known there was but little.

trace of the work of the original architect.

ter Clock, the old office was taken in hand

with bosses of delicate and elaborate

cirving. These were all carefully taken

down and cleaned, photographed, and

The whole design of the ceiling is most

interesting. It is evidently the only portion

remaining of that which originally canopied

the whole of the old chapter library from

end to end. The centre boss represents's

chalice, between the initials "T. B."

'reposing on an altar slab of which the five

crosses are still visible. The consecrated

wafer that had been above the chalice has,

however, been chirelled off. It seems

probable that the initials are those of

Thomas Bowde, who was cahon and

trensurer of St. George's from 1490 to

1493. In the books of the chapter

for 1483 (the year in which the building

was commenced) are to be found entries

relating to the wood procured for its

construction. Though begun towards the

close of Edward IV.'s reign is apparently

represent the worthy treasurer himself; a

rabbit nibbling peasond (the latter the

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wasn't lookin' gran-And says he, 'How's poor ould Russell an." how does he stand?"

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of the shebeen! I'm sick of Horses Plunkett and of hearin' what ha's dene

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lin a credit to the country? What the blazes do they mean ? Why, the credit of the country is nothin

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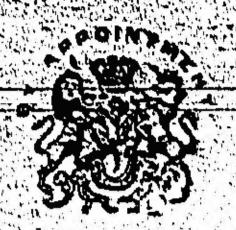
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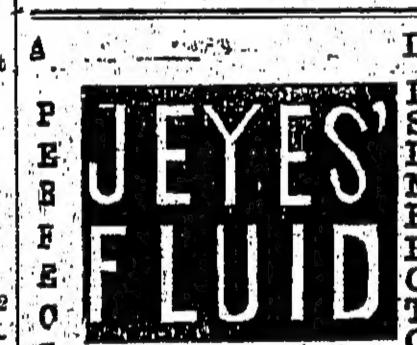
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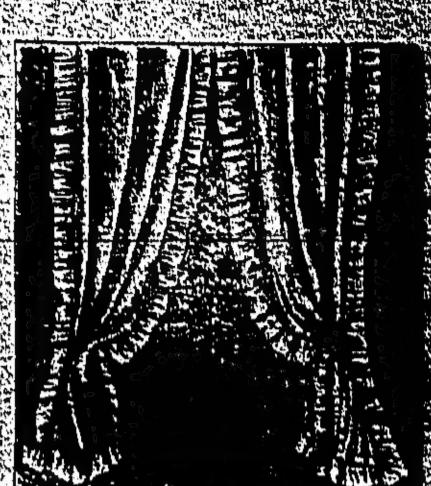
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My own feeling as to this was heightened when I arrived at the Peak Hotel, and found all the "boys" (some of them old | was delightful. men) clad in long white robes, which, with livir lean, cadaverous brown faces, and shaven polls, suggested a phase of the resurrection -- not altogether a pleasant

At the office a rather different thought occurred to me when I saw the typists and elerks in their churt white jackous their tight pants, and large, upmo-fit cloreheads. pected them to urge you to sing the chorus tobacco. for perhaps opinm, and allow She solls sea shells on the sea-shore. One of the Chinese clients, clothed in what: appeared to be black oilskins and carrying a large "gamp," was Mr George Robey to the life, and if he had suddenly rolled his eyes and told us to " Desist! I prithee, thou set of acurry knaves," I shouldn't

have been in the least surprised. The next peculiarity of the Colony is the anomaly of the mon and women's occupations according to our English ideas.

WOMEN'S HEAVY TABLE. drag huge loads harnessed like horses. curry heavy weights strung over their shoulders as yokels carry milk-cans in the country. They stagger up the Peak for about 100 yards, when they lay down their burden, go back, pick a new lot up, carry this up to the first dumping-place, then take the first load on a few yards further. and so, on, all under a blazing sun. All the bricklaying, roadmending, coaling, &c., is dong equally by both sexes ; but perhaps the most curious sight is to see a woman marked you down as "a sure thing " and straining at an oar, or at the steerage of a greets you, with au oily smile. sampan. If the boat be a very heavy one, plenty stuff have got. Yes, he savvy a what two of the women will work an oar together, | you want." . How much ?" An absurdly one pulling one way, and the other push extertionate amount is named. You suging whilst a little baby is perched on the gest a third of this price whereat he

On the other hand, up on the Peak, I which is the European Se tlement, one | been. You return to the business in hand. often sees a Chinese boy walking along and begin to bargain. You are a great sedately pushing a perambulator, whilst the E glish nursemaid walks empty-banded by slightly reduces the original price. You tell his side, and superintends operations. Of him you are not salished in the rich flowery

The next point is the very consmopolitan Hours seem by have passed, and you sature of the place. This was most forcibly suggest splitting the difference. The tears Tango Maru, In Europe. borno in upon me the other day when I stand in his eyes. You are crued and was walking with an American on one side and an Australian on the other Just in front of us were a couple of Germans, a Parsee stood at the door of his shop, a Japanese girl followed by two Portogueve with a chestened air as of one who has boys passed us, and a moment later a rick been robbed of his awe ismb against his show, went by in which sat a Spapier will and all the time be is making ab least maiden. There were, of course, Chinese 60 per cent, over the transaction scattered all over the place as usual, so that here within a hundred yards of one spotter; it smart married and he is at suite as a Telle & London April 10 at least nine unionalities were represented i night policemen. It would be hard to name a country which could not produce its type here A CAZHELING OF THE PATIONS.

A contingent of the Baluchistan Infantry s here ; we have bikh policemen ; Indiana fall kinds the represented officially in the simil and police courts a sers to the

nosiling below with all the ships lying motionless in the harbour, and Kowloon just across the way, where the distant hills look like papier mache ones.

You got some very fine sunset effects and noward then an extraordinary lightning display when the flashes dart about from one range of hills to another, and illumi nate the place for several minutes; quite

unlike snything ever seen in England. Hongkong looks prettier from the harbour at night time when you see all the lights twinkling not only along the coast, with empty sockets where the eyes should | but away up at intervals to the top of the Peak and at Coronation time, when the whole colony was lighted up by red Chinese lanterns, the effect from the water

SHOPPING WORRIES. It is an interesting experience to go shopping in the Chinese quarters. The other day a friend wanted a piece of black wood furniture for a wedding present, and we ransacked some of the more likely snops to find it, and interviewed the proprictors. They betray no eagerness to sell They were exactly like our old music hall but puff slowly and sourly at their tremonfriend Wilkie Bard, and one almost ex- dous pipes containing one small pinch of to pull about the articles exposed for sale as much as you please it saves them trouble. Some of them speak practically no English, but they usually have a small son who has been aducated at Queen' College here, a large Anglo-Chinese boy's

scho I, and he acts as interpreter. The more you bargain, the more lethargic the shopkeeper becomes; you feel you are boring him to death, and atammer apologies which he accepts gracefully. "No plac's The women work just like the men sthey | not got what you want:" "Will he have it later on ?" He can't say. Perhaps, you suggest tentatively, he may have the article in his Godown He doesn't think so ; anyway; the Godown's locked up, and it's too much trouble to bother about opening it. Then you are alraid you must go somewhere else. He thinks it might to a well, and then he and his semistants can all

The next shop you call at you find

more widenwake man in charge, who has back of each in a sort of cradle or papoose laughs pleasuntly, and skilfully changes the | Kamakura Maru. A. Seattle April 12 Conversation and chats of the weather and | Kaca Maru, A. S pore from H. K. April adultes "how long you have Hongkong naisance, but he will humour you. He course, all the housework is done by language of the Orient. He becomes paired, one might almost say shocked unreasons lo. As you step quiside there is a grean of anguist / You turn Maskee lie mospe. Can do packs it up for you, fastens it, svald it, all

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rested. Mr Duppipace, who was returning from the Slipway by read, found Mr. Mc-Clure lying insensible, and with assistance had him removed. He was placed in a gharry to be taken to his home, but when nearly there, we are informed, the Police cause of death as fracture of the skull. Bir

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McClure was 68 years of ago. to Tientsin, and during his long life in the East over forty-five years-there were very few ports in the tropics he had not visited. A native of Bowling, near Glasgow, he came first to Sin sapore, and then acted as engineer on one of the Dutch steamers sailing between Java and Singapore. He went home on a transport from Java called the Sumatra, and on his return so the East went up to China, joining 395 the service of Jardine, Matheson and For some years he ran reguarly between Shanghal and Tientsin-Leaving that Company he went over to Manila and was engineer of a Spanish stuamer called the Don Juan. His next boat was the Mary Austin which sailed for a number of years between Penang and Sumatra, as well as to Klang and the Native States ports. Later he joined the

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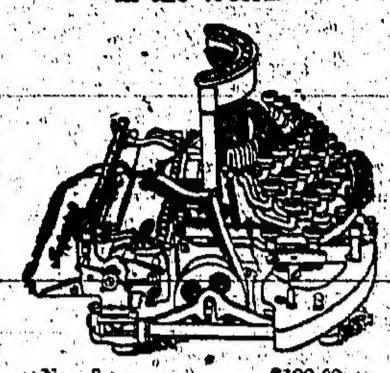
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From "The Duly Mail.") The Cannock Chase working collier is no a bad sort. There are worse folk in the big towns. I can see for myself that he has a human fondness for gardening, and children, and dogs, and doing nothing in particular in the sunshine. All the simple delights of nature appeal to him. There are wild deer on the Chase, and when op-....£1,500,000 portunity offers he has a keen juterest in the beautiful creatures. I saw a herd of RESERVE FUND£ 365,000 close on twenty race up a valley slope yesterday. If the strike continues some of

> attention. There are more than 500 dogs of many Hednesford, and I should imagine that there are some hundreds of there which, living under a Socialist system, are the property of the community and pay no taxes. These communal dogs gather in the morning on the green in front of the Anglesey waiting for friendly colliers to come and take them for a walk. For the dogs, both the licence holders and communal ones, the strike is as joyous a time as for their masters.

> The colliers have also a simple natural liking for beer, for which I for one do not blame them. Indeed, I marvel at the contented disposition which enables them to find any pleasure in drinking the kind of beer which in most of the mining villages is supplied. The lives of these men must indeed be hard if they can be solaced by such beer as would provoke indignation riots among the over-cultured inhabitant, of Bermondsey or Hoxfon. They are the soul of hospitality. At the sight of a stranger they will arrest the passage of the glass on its way to their lips and say, "Drink, old sport." They pay their debts cheerfully, the tradesmen tell me, except such as they may incur during a strike. These they regard as being subject to, sort of unwritten moratorium. But when they are working they pay up their talking machine instalment and other such obligations, which townspeople grow increasingly to resert, without a murmur.

man of the football club.

I notice that pit managers and other BILLS NEGOTIATED & COLLECTED. colliery officials, when they begin to tal coal and lab air and output, and that sort of thing, are contemptuously hostile to the granted on all the principal cities in the minimum wage and the men's unreason-THE BANK'S CIRCULAR LETTERS able and noresconion demands, and will indignantly deny that the men who are willing and able to work get an unsatik-COMMERCIAL LETTERS OF CRE factory wage. But if you, a stranger, are led by their remarks to venture an opinion designtory to the c aracter and disposition The Officers of the Bank are bound not of the miners, the same men will jump down your throat with the sesertion that there is not a better, a more industrious No. 9, Queen's Boad Jentral a more kindly-hearted at tol working mem to be found in all England or, for the matter of that, in the wide world. Todo not believe that one of a nundred A STREET, STRE

most prominent among the masters, and they speak" gratefully of the kindly and generous treatment they have been accustomed to receive from the "Cannock and Rugeley," the most fortunately prosperois

of the colliery companies on the Chase It is curious to hear them talk on the subject of "allowance" coal. It is one of the customs of the coal mining trade that a monthly allowance of something like threequarters of a ten of house oral is made by the colliery owners free of charge to every married man employed in the pits. It is a supplementary allowance upon their wages, and, of course, by all rules of right and wrong, when they are earning no wages they cannot expect any supplement. But these will probably engage his studious they have such a belief in the kindly feeling of their employers that the suggestion that the settly allowance of free coal might possibly be withheld . "The colonel wouldn't do that; Mr Smithuist ain't that kind of man," they say. It is true that some of the hooligan lads-and there are hooligan lads in mining villages as elsewhere-openly hint that if the ' lowancu' were stopped it would be "fatched." from such stores, as remain above ground, and Geese,-Ngot that there would be damage done at the pit-heads. But these namarried lads have less interest in allowance coal than in

mischief for mischief's sake. High as are the simple virtues of the Partridge, Che Khoo ... collier, the stranger should be wary of him Pheasant, -Shan Kai ! ... in any sporting matters involving dogs. A gentleman of austers virtue pointed out to me a big, burly, good-looking miner whom he described as the pattern of a collier and a man honest as the day, upright in all his dealings, a skilful and industrious workman, thrifty and sober, a good husband and father, and although a man of immense strongth, one who was never known to do violence to another except in defence of the weak victim of some bullying brute. He spoke with glowing elequence of this man, our of whose cost pocket a bull terrier pup suddenly popped his head. That reminded him that the paragon was a great man on dogs and one of the leading spirits in the colliers' sport of whippet racing and rabbit coursing, and then he went on torecite with admiration a record of the horrible villainies which this same man had perpetrated in association with dog sport. They paid their rents on Monday in a The collier, it seemed, had special honour free-handed, sailor-like way, although they for one exploit. He had matched his were on strike, and although in many cases | unbesten whippet against another much their landlords are the colliery proprietors inferior dog, which he proceeded to back against whom they think they are striking heavily at long odds. In order to win his They respect existing institutions, and beta he had stuffed " his demanimal, givhave no wild animosity against the establing it a big feed of offal and new bread lished constitution of society. They do not immediately prior to the match. Even then go to the little church at the top of the he had won the match probably because hill in large numbers, but they do not the other dog had been still more effective want to pull it down, and they speak with ly stuffed, but his efforts to cheat were affectionate pride of the vicar and his regarded by his sulngist as the consciensquare-shouldered curate, who is the chair-I time endeavour of a good man overwhelmed by unmerited in fortune. Around the Chase the moral code stop

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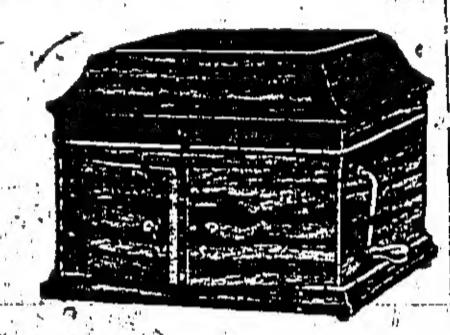
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General Memoranda.

Army Football Cup Final.

V.R.U. Boxing Tournament.

9 a.m.—Excursion to Macao.

Happy Valley.

SUNDAY, April 14:--

WEDNESDAY, April 17 :-

23th Punjabis' Sports...

Volunteer Reserves' Dinner. 7.45 p.m.—H.K. Football Clab Annual Monday, April 22:—

The China Mail.

Noon-Hongkong Schools Sports.

Hongkond, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1912.

THE adoption of a metallic currency will undoubtedly be one of the first | sale selling caused a marked fall in the reforms to be introduced by YUAN price of silver. This wholesale sale Shill-Kai and his ministers; for of silver certainly established her gold notwithstanding the fact that China currency (assisted by the indemnity of in the world, she has no real currency | though the change was hardly effected in the true sense of the word. That in a manner very scientific or ble, but we think it will be obvious statesmen and economists in all parts to such an astute politician as YUAN of the world. SHIH-KAI that the adoption of a gold standard at the outset would be highly injudicious. it would be a case of attempting to run before the ablity to walk is assured. The Monday next. poverty of China and its undeveloped condition tend to demand the introduction of a silver standard. If in a poor country like India; where the greater part of the people are dependent on agriculture, gold coins are only just becoming more widely used, it is obvious that China with Road." her millions of poverty-stricken subjects could not adapt herself to a gold standard. The introduction of a silver standard into China will create an interesting problem in the economic

world. Just as France sold her surplus silver in the sixties and seventies of the last century to India on her adoption of a gold standard by purchasing freely of the newly produced gold of California and Anstralin, so it is possible that India may similarly dispose of her silver in turn to China in order to provide herielf with the gold she has of late been so movement in the demand for Chies tes

anxious to acquire. Plat India has hourded secret coffers unfold weulth of silver seconted in good to fine Kintacke Johnnes however be juile to have developed to be placed by being the form hand to

coming more popular amongst the wealthier classes in India. Last year's gold imports into that country exceeded one-fifth of the world's total supply. Over 20 millions sterling of gold was purchased by India during the last year. This figure is surely creative of much thought; it conveys a lesson. It cannot of course he purchase 20 millions sterling of gold every year; her gold imports depend on her crops. If, however, the crops in India continue to be favourable, so will her purchases of gold continue on a similarly large scale. The recent increase in governing power granted to both the Viceregal and Provincial Councils in India gives her a free hand to decide the question

character of the untive of India-

There is however, but little doubt

that the gold sovereign is yearly be-

is therefore clearly to be deduced that? the tendency is for an increase in the gold imports into India, rather than for a decrease. The world further is becoming universally converted to gold standard, whilst the silver standa d is everywhere being rejected. China's adoption of a silver standard may therefore materially affect India's attitude on this point. If the Republic brings, as it is sincerely to be hoped, a settled government and a new era of trade and commerce in its wake, the need for silver on the part of

China will be great, and this must

affect appreciably the price of silver.

A marked rise in the price of silver

measured in gold will be an opport-

unity of which we think India will

not lose sight. It may, however, be urged that she will not be inclined to dispose of her hoards of silver rupees to China, which would entail on her a loss of 35%—the exchange of silver rapees at their metal value for gold. We have, however, a precedent in the action of Germany after the Franco-Prussian War. It will be remembered that Germany then in her currency reform called in the silver thaler with

CHINA'S CURRENCY REFORM. amazing rapidity which she sold at any price she could get—too rapidly she afterwards found-for her wholeone of the oldest civilized countries | 200 millions sterling from France

the establishment of a silver currency economic. Still if a farsecing country will be introduced is more or less like Germany was prepared to pocket generally assumed. It will be remem- a considerable loss in changing her bered that during the late Dowager silver standard for a gold one, there Empress' reign YUAN SHUI-KAI re- is no reason why India under more peatedly advocated the necessity for favourable circumstances should not the establishment a silver standard do likewise. The problem is a mos currency. That he may have turned interesting one one which will be against silver in the interval is possi- watched with keenest attention by

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A constant supply of water through the Rider Mains will be resumed on

Two dead bodies of Chinese children were picked up yesterday, one at Hunghom, and the other near Mongkok. Death in each instance was due to small pox.

A rickshaw coolie was sent to hospital

Replying to hir Sykes in the House of Commous, Mr Buxton rail his attention had been drawn to newspaper reported regarding the conduct of lascars on the Oceana. He had ordered an enquiry intothe circumstances of the disaster.

The new Excise scheme for Burms comes into force ah rily und r which pay will vary in many cases, as it is found that the present salary of Excise Officers is high for the work done. The Distillery and Salt establishment will be amaigamated with the new Excise Department

Weekly Tea report dated March 140 days China - Chere is no general im The Country Trade, owing partly to the Coal Strike, bas been very disappointing. and only a few small orders are being and foughteres. Lower grade Congula are rules an statistive takes upt an present

NEWS OF THE DAY:

The thiel is no respector of places, for all the Osram lamps within reach in the small court in the Courts of Justice numbering ten, have mysteriously dis-

A Chinese woman, aged 42, attempted to commit suigide a few days ago, and the police have made a charge against her in consequence. Yesterday ahe was removed from gool to the Tung Wah Hospital and was there certified to be suffering from

awful death on March A While at work on his engine attached to a train running plaintiffat procedure was wrong. at full speed he became insane through an litrat action was still pending and attack of neuranthenia and threw himself into the furnace, with the result that he was incinerated.

the extradition of Vincente Sotto, Filipino journalist, the Chief Just'se bus of her currency the solution of which in Chambers granted a rule new requiring the Captain Superintendent of Police to costs. show cause why the prisoner should not be hands of the Home Government. It discharged, and the Full Court will or Thursday next hear logal argument on the

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Singapore papers say that Miss Florence Beach is making steady progress towards

Major R. M. H. Y. Peacock has been appointed to the Minotaur on recomm missioning.

The Pev. F. G. B. Hastings, B.A., has been appointed chaplain to the Minotaur on recommissioning.

Sub. Lt. Palliser, of H. M. S. Kent, has been promoted Lieutenant and re-appointed to the cruiser in lieu of a sub-lieuters

Sir John Matthews, a former Attorney-General for the Straits Settlements, is the prospective Liberal candidate for South Wilts, now represented by Mr C. Bathurst Unionist.

Mrs F. S. Clarke, wife of Mr Clarke, of Messrs. Adis and Eschiel, Singapore, died at Port Said on April 2nd, while on her way home seeking health. She had many friends-in Hongkong who will learn with regret of her sudden death.

Havander Kennedy, brother of Lady Evelyn Young, wire or wire of the Straits Settlements, has died after a short illness. He say active service with the Black Watch in the Soudan and retired from the Army with the rank of Lies

A marriage was arranged and was to take place quietly at the Church of St Michael and All Angels, Walford, Herefordshire, on March 20, between Alfred George, only son of Mr. A. G. Hayman, of Hapsford House, Frome, Somersetshire, and Marjory Vivian Mary, elder daughter of the late G. W. Butt, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bunk, and Mrs Butt, of Halcombe, Walford, Russ-on-Wye.

Mme, Samh Bernhard, the great actress,

Ins shown herself in a new role by coming into the auditorium during one of the entractes of "L'Aiglon" at her theatre and taking round a plate collecting for the National Aeroplane Fund. Such an innovation was naturally not without success. and when the great actress appeared in the orchestra, alim and elegant in her costume of white and gold, the audience at the mat nee, largely composed of Frenchschoolgirls, applauded her even more warmly than they applieded her final tirade just before the curtain went down. Other artists followed her, and very rapidly the c lection-plate was filled. The fund now amounts to nearly £38,000.

THE NEW TERRITORIES. Rumours of Extension.

There are rumours circulating in the Colony that an extension of the boundaries of the new territories is being negotiated by the British Government and the Governyesterday, suffering from injuries to his ment of China, the idea being to put the head which were caused by a bamboo pole line line linek so as to include Shek-wan and falling upon him from a house in Queen's the hills bordering Mire Bay and thus bring within control the city of Skek-lun. We annot ret the zumours authenticated. we give them for what they may be worth.

BOY'S STRANGE REPORT

At about eight o'clock this morning a Portuguese schoolboy reported to the police that about 7.30 a.m. on the 11th inst. while he was on his way to school and was walking down Glencaly he was confronted. by three Chinese, one of whom presented a revolver at his hoad. In the meantime he was robbed of 200. Detectives were enunged all this morning upon the case, and a ter making considerable angul they found that the report was false. The money appeared to be handed to a person who admitted that has received it from the

CLAIM FOR OMITTED ITEM

In the Court of Samuery Jariediation this 'morning Mr Justice 'Compertal gave

judgment in the action brought by Memra Berblinger and Co. to recover from Weingarter the sum of \$100 alleged to be balance due for wine and spirits supplied. Mr C. Willson was for plaintiffs and Mr L. D'Almada for the defendant. His Lordship said :-- In this action

writ had been issued for a cortain amou due on running account and owing to projected sottlement the case was taken out of the list and adjourned sine die: While the case was still pending, although out of the list, the plaintiffs discovered another item belonging to the previous Albert Koenig, an engine dather on year which they said had not been paid. the Eastern France milway, met with an They thereupon issued a fresh writ. Well, on general principles. I think think their propes course was to have had the sage restored to the list and apply for leave to amend. The defendant objects to being troubled with this action, In the matter of the proceedings for | and, I think, rightly. I think the defenthe dant is entitled to a stay on this action with the costs to which he has been put Plaintiffs can have leave to smend the writ ALLEGED ASSAULT ON HOTEL if they wish ... I must stay this action, with

Mr D'Almada - Your Lordship will allow me to be heard on plaintiffs' application for leave to amend His Lordship—Oh yes, if you like.

Mr D'Almada-I tannot consent to les to amend at present, my Lord. His Lordship-You oppose the applica-

Mr D'Almada—I do, my Lord. Mr Wills up-The effect of that would be my Lord, that plaintiffs are shut out from any remedy. Mr D'Almada-Defendant is entitled to

take all his defences and this is or

His Lordship-You are entitled to raise

Mr D'Almada—And I submit that plaintiff is not entitled to amend that first writ now without giving notice to me. His Lordship—The application has not even been made yet.

Mr D'Almada -No. After further discussion, his Lordship said the matter had better be raised

PROMISSORY NOTE CASE.

Chambers.

The case whereby J. H. Ruttonjee sued Cooper and Co. for \$311.79 balance due on a promissory no e was again mentioned this morning in the Summary Court. Mr F.X.D'Almada was for plaintiff and M. W.B. Hind for defendants.

Mr D'Almada stated that last time it was arranged that Mr Hind should say for whom he was appearing. Mr Hind-Well, here you are-P. N

Mr. D'Almada—Is he sole partner in the firm? Mr Rind-Yes.

Mr D'Almada saked for a cay to be fixed be referred to the Registrar; it is a question of accounts.

due on a promissory note, and the defen- severely injured by a European, the Court dant said be had paid several small would bo'd that the essault was quite amounts, that there was an account on other matters and that there was only about \$60 owing. That was the defence, and defendant would pay into Court

Mr D'Almada I would ask your Lord ship to fix a day. His Lordship. Have you given notice of sion.

Mr Hind-I have not yet, my Lord. Mr D'Almada-I ask for Thursday. Mr Hind-It is impossible to have the case ready by Thursday.

not hear the syldence. Mr D'Almada My friend has had whole week: The case was fixed for next Friday.

WAITING FOR A CHEQUE.

In the Court of Summary Jurisdiction this morning, before Mr Justice Gompertz, the case was mentioned in which Tang Kee and Con sued the Alexandra Cafe and another for \$311.79.

Mr Russ s'ated that he was instructed by the defendant and he came to the office winners of the B.E. and 87th Co. Nov 1900; including actions at Belfast 28th yesterday and said that terms had been R.G.A. in the final of the Soldiers Club arranged, so that the case might be struck

Have you got your cheage ?-Yes.

for the case to be adjourned if the cheque and 24. had not keen cleared. the care sine die.

MARINE COURT.

At the Blarine Court to-day before

Commander Beckwith, R.N., the mast rot Rodgers with unlawfully carrying 24 passengers in excess of the number sllowed. He sas fined \$10. Roz unlawfully mooring a boat within 100 yards of low water mark in a prohibited place and in prohibited hears a Chinese was fined \$2.

MERCANPILE BANK OF INDIA, LTD.

The hindbenth annual report of the Board of Directors for the yest endire 31st December 1911 says - The ne matte for the year, after providing for £26,522 4a. Bd. Lebught forward from last Account amount to 2111 BIA 171 14 rom this cannot have to the decree

THE SOLDIER DENTIST CASE The case in which Dre Kew Bros. sued Sures Wielord for an amount said to due for professional services was sent mentioned this morning before Mr Justice Comperts in the Summary Court

Mr Russ raised the case on behalf plaintiffs stating that notice had been given the defendant under the Army Act His Lordship called attention to the fac reply to questions Mr Russ admitted that mobice had not been given to the Judge's clerk or the Registrar. It was he said merely a question of formally proving the

His Lordship The practice is wrong You should have given the Registrar Mr Russ I thought notice was given

His Lordship -I think what I had better do now is to formally call the case and r Russ Can we give our evidence now as my client is a busy man &

His Lordship II you had given proper notice there would have been Mr Russ -I can't say anything about that. I don't know anything about the

practice here I thought the case was in The case was adjourned for a wack.

MANAGER.

In yesterday's China Mail was mentioned the case which was board at the Magistracy in which a charge brought against a Chinese coolic for assaulting Mr G. R. Smith,

Leave of Appeal Granted.

Later Mr C. A. Sutherton Russ (of Mosars Goldring, Barlow and Morrell app ared before Mr Melbourne to apply for a reheating of the case, or, in Court. Mr Russ said that the complainant did not get legal assistance, and the result was that the case was not represented very well to His Worship, . He did not mind if His Worship would re-bear the case or grant leave to appeal. From what he (Mr Russ) understood the coolie struck complainant and stable I him on the forehead Mr Russ further intimated that they wanted to appeal on the ground of fact - with great deference—that the verdict was against the weight of evidence; and on the point of law that whatever aggrivation the coolie may have had, the assoult on his part was of so violent a nature that it could not possibly be justified, especially the stabbling with a knife; and he thought the complainant was entitled to a conviction. His Worship would appreciate the great importance in a case like that of an Englishman being adequately protected. His client was somewhat seriously injured.

not injured at all. Mr Russ Added: I have only just come to the Colony, but I understand that at the time the Republic was proclaimed the cooling rather lost their heads, and in many cases the safety of Europeans was greatly jedpardised. Unless the Courts are going adequately to protect Europeans. there may be some very serious consequences in the future. More than that Mr. Hind-I think this case had better my cheut is the assistant memiges of hotel, and if the cooling are allowed to knock about the managers with impunity Mr D'Almeds-It has nothing to do with it will be quite impossible to preserve order I am quite pertain of this : if this Mr Hind said the claim was for balance | came before any Court, and a coolie was

and whatever happened, the coolie was

His Worship stated that he only reheard cases in which the parties had been taken by surprise in the evidence, or had subsequently to the hearing discovered testimony which might have affected the deci-

Mr. Russ -I suggest that the most satisfactory arrangement would be for your worship to rehear the case. His Worship Unfortunately you did

His Worship then read the evidence to Mr Russ, who said that even if the coolie was hit be had no right to go about stade

His Worship ultimately granted leave of appeal on the usual terms.

SPORTING. Billiards.

VOLUNTEERS DEFEAT R.G.A. By beating the 83rd Co., R.G.A., the lunteers have now qualified to meet the

tournament. Prior to commencement of play last evening, the Volunteers were assured of Plaintiff's manager was called, and His ontering the final, the Artillery being no Lordship asked him - Is this matter less than 520 points to the bad, and with only, two games to go it was impossible 1902 operations in the Transval, a pril too The reply was - Defendant is going to for the latter to make good their position. May 1902. Queen's medal with a classes. The first pair to meet were Mr Hamilton and Sergt. Lawood. A fine game was wit 1901 Lieut. F. C. C. Progress 1901 You have actually received it !- I am nessed between these two, the Artillety Lieut H. T. K. Hodge: 1002 | ieut C. going to get it to-day. I have not got it man winning by 22 points. The winners D M. Garais, 1905 Liquid C. V. da G best breaks were 16, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 26. Edys, 1905 Lieut. W. R. Barker 1965

> were 11 (twice), 13 and 10. Total scores N. Willyan's (1940) THE COLUMNERS. 83 CO. R.G. A.

Mr Ismmert 250 Gunr Westhers 128 220 Set. Halliday 250 250 Gunr. Thomas 142 250 Guor Cane 228 Set. Eswart 250 Ganr, Teyreal

Play will commence this evening at 7.89 between the R. F. and 87 Co. B. G. A.

EXTECTIONS FOR TO-MOREOW The fullosing are our selections o-morrow a racing at the Gymkhana HILL MILE BLIT KAGE THE NUMBER OF

Capt Being of and Mr. Lawden

The state of the s Late Infantry now at atomer at History fontain, will arrive in Hongkous in the latter part of the year to relieve the Suit Bu-K CLY E. I. who proceed to Slogapore. The new rogiment has the following record of war corride to its credit .- "Gibraltar. 1704 05. " Dethingen," St. Lucia, 1778." Dominica, Roles Communa, Salamanoa, Pyrenese, Nivelle, " Nive W Orthon Per

insula, Waterloo, Punjaub, Muoltan, Goojersh Sevestopol. Lucknow," Egypt, 1889," "Tel-el-Kebir." "Nile, 1884-85," South Africa, 1899-1902." Paardeberg."

The following is a list of officers attached o the Battalion, with their services Lt.-Col. F. H. Chapman Entered the service 1884. He served in the Operations. on N. W. Frontier of India-1897-5. With Tirah Expeditionary Force Medal and 2 clasps. He also serred in the S.A. War 1800-09, being present at the operations in the Transvard from Dec. 1900 to Dec. 1901 and was mantenand in deare her manifest the Queen's model with Schope.

Major. H.D. Tuson-Entered the services 1886. S. reed in the S. A. War 1899-00operations in Natal 1880 Relief of Lady. smith, including action at Colense ; operations of 17th to 24th Jan. 1900, and setton At Spion Kop operations of but to The Feb. 1900 and action at Vant Krans; assistant manager of the Grand Hotel, was operations on Togola Reights lath to 27th Feb. 1900, and action at Pieters Hill: operations in the Orange Free State, May 1900 : operations in Cape Culouy, south o Oranga River 1899 properations north or alt-rustive, for leave of appeal to the Full Orange River May 1900; Queen a meda with 5 clasp.

> Major P. B. Norris-Entered the service 1889; promoted Linutenant 1893; Captain in 1898, Major in 1906,

Capt. P. G. Petivel - Entered the service 1892. Served in the S. A. War 1899-02 operations in Orange Free State, May 1900 including actions at Vet River (5th and 6th May) and Zand River operations in the Transveal in May and June 1900, including actions near Johannesburg and Pretoria; operations in Transval Nov. to Jan. 1907. Aug. to May 1902; severely wounded. Queen's medal with S clasps - King's meda !

Capt. H. S. P. Simon-Entered the service 1893. Served in the operations on W. Frontier of India 1897-8: with Tirsh Expeditionary Force; medal with 2

Capt. J. L. Swainson-Entered the Service in 1899. Served in the S. A. War 1899-02 operations in Transval in May and June 1900 operations in Natal, March to June 1900 including action at Laings Nek 6th to 9th June; operations in Transveal, cost of Pretoria July to Nov. 1900 : o erations in Orange River Colony May to Nov. 1900: operations in Transvet! Nov. 1900 to May 1902 Queen's medal with 4 clause : King's medel with Schene · Capt. G. C. Tracey Entered the service Serre Lin S. A. War 1901; Queen a

Capt. E. B. Ward-Kutered the service 1900 Served in the S. A. War-operations in the Transvall May 1902. Queen's medal and 3 chaps; King's

medal and 2 classe. Capt. H. N. B. Harrison Entered the ervice 1899. Served in the S. A. War 1900-02, —operations in Natal, March to June 1900 operations in the Transvasi east of Pretoria, July to Nov. 1900, including ac ions at Belfast, 26th and 27th Ang, and Lydenberg 5th to 8th Sept; operations in the Transval Nov. 1900 to May 1902 Queen's meds | and 3 clasps : King's medal and 2 clasps. Capt. A. P. Dene Entered the service 1899, promoted Lieutement 1900, Captain

Capt A. W. Stericker - Entered the ervice 1899. Served in the S. A. War-1899-20: Present at the relief of Kumberley: operations in Orange Free State, Feb to May 1900 including operations st Pasrdoberg 17 to 26 Feb, actions at Poplar Grove and Dreifontein; operations in the Transvest, May and June 1900, including actions near Johannesburg Pretoris and Diamond Hill Itth 12th June perations in the Tansvari cast of Pretoric July to and 27th August; operations in the Transvasi Nov 1900 to May 1902: mentioned in despatches. Queen's medal with 6 clasps; King a medal with 2 clasps. Lieut C. H. G. Colling Entered the service in 1902. Served in the S. A. War. Activity C. 10 S. El brow, entered the service Mr Russ Perhaps it is only fair to sak whilst the loser made 12, 13 (twice), 22 Lieut E. C. M. Porcelli, 1906; Lieut S. Mathews 1907: Lieut A.W. Fatson 1907: The second came, between Mr McLennau Lieut, T. E. Bisder, 1900; Lieut, J. H. His Lordship I think so. I will pub and Gunz Teyrost, fell to the Volunteer by Bradney, 1909 Lieut, M. L. Paske, 1909 31 points McLenman made breaks of IL 2nd Lieuts E. H. Chapter (1909) J. C. H. 15 16 and 24, whilst Teyroe's hest afforts | Brunt (1909); W. G. Bawlinson (1910 ; E

LENDERS AND BORROWERS

In the Summery Court this morning Mr disting Comparid after-questioning the 200 CTORES DISCUSSION NEW TOURS OF THE con a not make an order by more than 10 THE REAL PROPERTY AND THE PARTY OF THE PARTY

THE POPULAR FAVOURITES TICLA THE STATES PROSE LILIAN (Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE PERSISTENT IRISH

DEMAND.

the Irish standpoint, he said since

the extension of the franchise in 1884

there had been eight general elections.

The fortunes of political parties has

and war, shifting issues and changing

persistence of the Pich demand. He

emphasized the preponderant charact if

of the vote given in favour of Home

THE POSITION OF ULSTER.

of their fellow countrymen.

PROGRESS OF IRELAND.

He reviewed the progress of Ireland

ancipation of the Imperial Parliament

from local cares. They would never

get the seperate concerns of the differ-

ent parts of the United Kingdom

courage and the wisdom to hand them

over to their special representatives....

CONGESTION OF BUSINESS.

Mr Asquith laid stress on the con-

He then came to the Bill itself. It

impaired." An Irish Parliament was to

be established consisting of a Senate

POWERS CONFERRED.

laws for the preservation of peace.

make laws respecting matters exclusive-

y relating to Ireland. The list

excluded matters wherewith the Iris Parliament was not able to deal includ

ed in the last Home Rule Bill was

maintained, with certain additions,

including land purchase, old age pen-

sions, compulsory insurance, the con-

stabulary, and the post office savings act.

The constabulary was, however, to be

automatically itransferred after six

years. With regard to old age

pensions and compulsory insurance,

power was given to the Irish Parliament

to demand the transfer of these services.

SOME LIMITATIONS.

the Home. Rule Bill itself or alter the

ing protection and religious equality,

the exercise of its powers the Trish

Parliament should not make laws to

either directly or indirectly establish or

endow any religion or prohibit the free

exercise thereof, or give preference or

privilege to any religion for make

RICHT OF VETO.

to veto or suspend a bill on the instruct-

Judicial Committee of the Privy Council

SIZE OF PARLIAMENT

validity of any marriage.

power of appeal to the Privy Council.

The Irish Parliament could not alter

after a year's notice.

and House of Commons.

Rule in Ireland.

Dealing first with the question from

LONDON, April 11. Though the whips sent out in regard -to the Home Rule Bill are not of the -most urgent character, articles appearing in the newspapers recalling the scenus of 1886, when Mr Gladstone's Bill was introduced, and dwelling on Mr Asquith's difficulties, testify to the historic neture of to-day's sisting in the -House of Commons.

THE IMPERIAL ARGUMENT.

The Daily Chronicle, in a page head-"Empire and Home Rule: The Voice of the Dominions on the side of Traland," prints special messages giving the views of Dominion Ministers and editors. General Boths, Sir Wilfred Laurier, Mr Fisher and Mr Deakin are amongst those quoted in favour of the

Gevernment policy. The Imperial aspect of the case for and against Home Rule is especially emphasised in editorials on what the Liberal newspapers describe as "Final Battle of Liberals for the Irish people.

MINISTRY IN JEOPARDY.

The Conservatives dwell on the magnificent demonstrations at Belfast as evidence that the Ministerial barque will be shattered on the rock of Ulater,

THE SPEAKERS.

It is expected that Mr Asquith, though a master of conciseness, will since 1893 and pointed out that it had deprived Unionists of many-of their speak for at least two hours. He will arguments, Every year had empha be followed by Sir Edward Carson, sized the imperative need of the cm-Mr Redmond, and Mr Ramssy Macdonald to-day, and by Ballour, Mr Long, Mr Birrell and possibly Sir Edward Grey on Monday. treated with adequate time, knowledge and sympathy until they had the Mr Bonar Law and Mr Churchill will close the debate on Tuesday, when a division will be taken on the first reading of the Bill.

GOVERNMENT CONCESSIONS.

gestion of business in the House of Though forecasts still appear, the Commons under the existing system. and asked how they in the meanwhile Times says that most of them will be were discharging their duty to the found to be erroneous in important empire at large. He referred to the particulars, as there have been frequent creation of the Commoswealth Australia and the grant of self-governchanges until a few days ago. There ment to the Transvasi and to the Union is good reason for saying that the Go- of South Africa. The case of the -vernment has broken fresh ground in Transvaul was strictly analogous to that the matter of safeguards for Ulster, of of Ireland, and he would be a bold man who would assert that the case of Ulster which they will give no hint yet. The presented more difficulty than that of Boer and Briton living side by side in Government expects that these will territory just recovered from internecina produce an unexpected effect, yet There is much uncertainty among Ministerialists regarding the country's DETAILS OF THE PROPOSALS. reception of them, and gloomy forcewas expressly stipulated in the first bodings, owing to the determined stand clause that the supreme authority of of Ulster. One Minister said the rethe Imperial Parliament remained unsistance of Ulster is the crux of the situation.

ASQUITE INTRODUCES THE MEASURE.

LONDON, April 12. Those was a great rush for seats in the House of Commons to-day, and all Ireland. It would only have power to were taken, as also were the seats in the galleries, soon after the House opened its proceedings."

CHEERING THE LEADERS.

London, April 12, 3.10 a.m. The House of Commons was crowded but not in such great numbers as on the occasion of the introduction of the previous bills. No chairs were placed on the floor of the House as in -1893 and 1886.

Mr Asquith, on entering, received a volley of cheers from the Ministerialists and Nationalists. Mr John Redmond was warmly welcomed by the Nationalists.

The Unionists stood up to cheer Sir | THE RELIGIOUS QUESTION. Edward Carson; shortly afterwards M Bonar Law was similarly applauded.

PRIME MINISTER'S INTRO-DUCTION.

Mr Asquith rose amid the cheering of a renewed evation. He said it was 19 years since Mr Gladstone had intro- any religious ceremony a condition of duced his last measures to provide for the better government of Iroland. That speech contained a perfect exposition of an historic case as between Great Beltvin and Ireland. He did enot pretoud to cover the same ground, question regarding the in repretation but before he entered upon an explana- of the Home Rule act and /ts applicat graphs that 2,500 Berbers utiacked the tion of the provisions of the Bill, he ion was to be cettled by appeal to the would take up the narrative of the pomt pherent Mr Gladstone left off and would ask the House how lar the

osse for and equiet Home Bule had

was to be a nominated body. In view of the special nicolinativices prevailing in Ireland, it was very desirable to get into the Senate representatives of the minority. The Senate would be nominated in the first instance by the Imperial executive for a fixed term, but as they retired by rotation vacaboies would be filled on the nomination of the Irish executive. Whore there was disagreement between the two Houses (they bad followed the South African precedent) the two Houses would sit and vote the Pope linve been denied in Rome.

The Head of the Executive would be the Lord Lieutenant, as at present, but there would be no religious bar and he would hold the office for a fixed term. The authority of the executive would be ebbed and flowed; Governments had co-extensive with the authority of the come and gone; they had had peace Trich Parliament,

policies, but throughout the welter and THE FINANCIAL ASPECT confusion one thing had remained con stant, namely, the insistence and

Turning to the question of finance, by a special committee appointed to investigate the financial relations bethey had derived great benefit from Look at Ulater. (Opposition cheers.) that report. He emphasized the fact Seventeen Unionists and sixteen Home that under the existing system it was Rulers were returned for Ulster. nobody's interest in Ireland to Ministerial cheers.) These figures economise. Next year there would be were quite sufficient to show how misa-deficit of a million and a half on leading was the character of the pre-Irish administration and if the present tence that would die rather thansystem was continued the deficit would assent to Home Rule. (Ministerial be added to year by year. The Bill anticipated a future when Irish income cheers). He never under-estimated and expenditure would halance, and the strength and determination of provision was made for that state of resistance to Home Rule in Ulster. It affairs and meanwhile the collection of was a factor which a cane and prudent toxes would remain an Imperia statesman could not leave out of acservice and would be paid into the count and he hoped presently to show Imperial exchequer. It was provided they had not ignored it in framing the bill. The could not, however, admit that there should be transferred from the right of a relutively small minority, the Imperial to the Irish exchequer a sum, called the Transferred Sam, especially when care had been taken representing the cost as determinto safeguard their special interests, to ed by a Board called the Joint Exveto the verdict of the vast majority chequer Board to the Imperial Ex-

chequer of Irish services at the time of pasting the Ack There would further be paid over to Ireland half a million during the first year, this sum diminishing by £50,000 yearly to £200,000. The Postal Service would be made an Irish service and Ireland would get the benefit of all economies made in her administration.

The Irish Parliament would have full power to devise new taxes, and to increase, reduce or discontinue the Imperial taxes, subject to the following restrictions : - Firstly, as regards Income Tax, Estate Duties and Customs other than Customs duties on beer and spirits it would be unable to add more than will produce 10 per cent. increase in yield, while as regards . Excise duties its hands would be free; secondly, it cannot impose Customs duties except on articles dutiable in the United Kingdom; thirdy, there are certain stamp duties which ought to be uniform throughout the United Kingdom, and fourthly, any reduction or increase in Imperial taxes will be subject to a reduction or increase in the transferred sum corresponding to and stoped the police. the diminished or increased yield thus

Irish representation at Westminster would be reduced to 42; namely, one member for very 100,000 of the population, and the Irish Universities would cease to be represented in the Imperial Parliament. The House of Commons. said the Premier, must continue to the House of Commons of the United Kingdom, and Irish members would have an unfettered right to vote.

A "SCENE."

Quoting Mr Bonar Law's speech about "treacherous conspiracy," the Premier said that was the new style. This remark was greeted with cheers It would have the power to pass and counter-cheers and cries of "It true." to which Mr Asquith retorted that that was all very well for Ulster, but how about for the House of Com-

Mr Bonar Law was understood to say that he had already said so in the House of Commons itself.

Mr Asquith-Am I to understand that Mr Bonar Law is prepared to repeat in the House of Commons that and my colleagues are selling our

Mr Bonar Law-You have not got any, (Opposition cheers and aproar), Mr Asquith Does Mr Bonat Law (Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) mean that we are producing a Bill which is not representing our views? What am I and my colleagues to get " Office" and " Nationalist Wotes."

suggestion that they were surrendering after engaging the enemy by the feint their convictions and selling for all time their personal and political honour. They had brought forward this

There were special provisions afford- and deliberate judgment. With this rejoinder the Premier took while a third clause stipulated that in his seat, being seconded an ovation: He spoke for two hours,

FIGHTING IN MOROCCO.

FRENCH FORCE ATTACKED

The Lord Lieu'enant had the power | (Reuter's Service to the Ching Mail

Reuter's correspondent at Ujda tela-French reconnaissance commanded by Colonel Ferand on the Oth instant near Labour top Colonel Teruta Vigorous II ... M. Rosenett libe won a great

MENIAD MANAGARIANA

LONDON, April 12. Private telegrams received in Madrid unnouncing the death of His Holiness

PANAMA VOLCANO. THOUSANDS REPORTED HILLED.

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Router's Service to the China Mail

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) ber and is entitled to exchange LONDON, April 114

A fruit steamer which has arrived at Mobile, Alabama, reports that thousands | payment of 20 cents cash, Hong wers killed and a number of Indian Mr Asquith said the Government were villages destroyed as a result of an unable to adopt the scheme suggested eruption from Chiriqui, Peak, Panamu.

tween Great Britain and Ireland, but SERIOUS COAL RIOTS TROUBLE WITH IRRECONCIL-ABLES.

Reuter's Service to the China Mail Lowbon, April 11.

There were serious encounters between the police and rioters at Atherton and Goldborne yesterday, during which many were injured.

General Bethune and staff have taken up their headquarters at Wigan. is his expected that the trouble will be

Mr Walsh, Labour M.P. for Ince, who The Battle, by Claude Farrers. was recently accused of treachery to his Mrs Wycherleys Wards, by L. A. Harker. comrades because of a speech in House of Commons, secured enthusinstie support at a meeting attended by 7,000 people at Wigan last night, when he consured irresponsible youths for rioting when thousands were anxious to resume work in order to get a square meal for their children.

It is estimated that half a million miners are working.

MORE TROOPS.

Yesterday the 16th Lancers and 450 the Suffolk Regiment arrived at Wigan owing to the prosence of bands recalcitrant miners.

Six hundred men of the Royal Fusiliers have arrived at Leigh, and battalion of the Welsh Regiment has been ordered to be in readiness to proceed to Wignay-where miners visited the collieries and successfully intimidated workers damaged mine property

RAILWAY LOSSES.

The traffic decreases last week bring up the aggregate gross decrease railway receipts in five weeks to

S. WALES MINERS RETURN. LONDON, April, 12.

The South Wales miners are returning to work in large numbers in deferenceto a manifesto from their leaders.

A DRIFTING STEAMER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, April 11. The steamer, Augsberg, bound from Vatal to Java, which was reported overdue on March 21st, is reported to be drifting in Latitude 36 North, Long-

itude 56 West. .The steamer Bremen is searching for

TURCO-IT LIAN WAR. TTALIAN FORCES STRENGTHENED.

LORDON, April 11. A message from Reuter's agent at This query was greeted with cries of Rome states & fleet of transports escorted by battleships effected a lancing of Mr Asquith firmly repudiated the troops from Italy near Zuara in Tripoli

of landing elsewhere. Bill as the embodiment of their henest RIFLE SIGHT DISPUTE

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

LONBON, April 11. The whole question of rifle sights, ever which there has been a dispute between British and Canadian Rifle Associations, will be dealt with at a Conference to be held in Ottawa. The English delegates, Col. Crosse and Col. Barrow, leave for Others

U.S. PRESEDENCY

CHANCES.

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Enter Bridget, by Thomas Cobb. Flower of Grass, by Kathlyn Rhodes.

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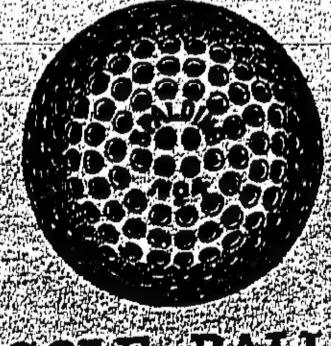
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Ladies and Gentlemen.

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Hongkong, April 12, 1912 BIROKETES

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HOMEWARD. March 5. Nyanza. March. 19, Sambia March 19, Moyune, Socntra March 29, Diomed. April 2, Nile, Putroclus, Teneer, Rhesus, April 9, Aki Maru, Ambria, Dumbea.

Specia, India. ARRIVALS FROM CRIMA. April 9. Aragonia, Dumbea, Kamo Muru, Perria, P. E. Friedrich.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The N. D. L. s.s. Princ Ludwig carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 20th March, left Colombo on Saturday, the 6th April, p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 17th April

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Manchuria from San Francisco sailed from Yokohama on 8th April on route for Hongkong, and is due to arrive at this port on. the 19th April. The T. K. K. s.s. Chiyo Maru with U.S.

mails, sailed from San Francisco on Wednesday the 27th March, and is expected to arrive here on 23rd April. The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M. . Empress of Japan left Vancouver B.C. for Hongkong, via usual ports of call on Friday, the 5th April, s.m.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Mongolia sailed from San Francisco on the 10th April for Hon kong, via Honolulu, Yokohams, Kobe, Nagasaki and hangbai; and is due to arrive at this port on the 7th May.

Other Vessels.

The B. I. S. N. Co. Ltd.'s a.s. Fulfala from Rangoon and Singapore, left Singapore on 6th April, and was expected here on 11th April. The P. S. S. Co.'s a.s. Zafiro will leave Manila on Wednesday, the 10th April, and is due here on or about Saturday, the 13th April, at daylight.

506 The Apear Line s.s. Catherine Apear from Calcutta left Singapore on the afternoon of 8th April, and may be expected here on or about the 14th

The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s v.s. Hansang, leaving Shanghai on the 11th April for Hongkong, is due here about the 16th April Glen Line s.s. Glenstrae left

Singapore on Thursday, the 11th April, and is due here on or about Wednesday, the 17th April, a.m. The G. N. str. Minnesota left Yokohama for this port via Manila on the 5th April, and is expected here on the 19th April

The I.-C. S. N. Co., Ltd's s. Kutsong, left Calcutta via Straits for Hongkong on the 4th April, and is due here on , the 21st April.

The P. M. S. S. Co. a s.s. Nile sailed from San Francisco on the 3rd April for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is due to arrive at this port on the 30th

The N. D. L. s.s. Coblens left Sydney on Wednesday, the 10th April at noon, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd May. The Indra Line s.s. Indramayo passed the Sucz Canal on Tuesday, the 9th April.

and is due here on or about Monday. the 6th May. The Glen Line sa. Glenesk pa sed the

Suez Canal on Tuesday, the 9th April, and is due here on or about Saturday, the lith May. The E. & A. steamer Eastern left Sydney on the 10th April for this port via Queensland Ports, Port Darwip, Timur and Manila.

Latest Advices.

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ho L C. S. N. Co., Ltd a sie. Mausany left Sandakan for Hongkong on the Oth Aprils and is due here on the 10th The L. C. S. N. Co., Ltd. s s.s. Onsang

left Chinwapping for Hongkong on the the 6th April, and is due here on the 12th April.

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Par Sui Tini, at 1:15 p m, or Saturday SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. Per Gregory Apour, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 13th April.

Per American, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 13th April. FORMOSA VIA KEELUNG. Per Yerima Maru, at 3 p.m., on Satt day, the 13th April.

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Per Tantan, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,

13th April. Per Cheyenng, at 3 p.m., on Saturd the 13th April.

SHANGHAL & NORTH CHINA. Per Anhui, on Saturday, the 19th Apr Registration at 5 p.m. Letters at 6 p.m. Siberian Mail to Europe. SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA.

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